

Minutes  
The City of Frederick  
Mayor and Board of Aldermen  
Workshop  
July 21, 2021

- I. Mayor Michael O'Connor called the meeting to order at 3:00 PM and led the Pledge of Allegiance. Also present were Alderman Kelly Russell, Alderman Derek Shackelford, Alderman Roger Wilson and Alderwoman Donna Kuzemchak. Alderman Ben MacShane joined the meeting at approximately 3:05pm.
- II. Workshop
  1. Brandon Mark, Division Manager Community Planning and Urban Design, led the discussion of Comprehensive Plan and Future Zoning Map Amendments along with Joe Adkins, Deputy Director for Planning. Public comment was received.
- III. Elected Officials' Comments – Alderwoman Kuzemchak requested a workshop with staff and local mental health professionals to discuss ways the City can work to prevent suicides. She also asked for an update on the status of the City's Ethics Ordinance that was sent to the State for review and approval. Alderwoman Kuzemchak expressed concerns regarding progress on the advancement of proposed revisions to the Ethics Ordinance and indicated her intent to contact State representatives. Mayor O'Connor stated that he would be happy to write a letter on behalf of the City [to State Ethics Board] to ask for expedited review. Mayor O'Connor thanked Alderwoman Kuzemchak for acknowledging the unfortunate tragedy from a parking garage and will work to find the best structure of a format to meet with mental health professionals. He also mentioned the recent closures at City Hall due water damage and lack of air conditioning. He also informed participants that he would adjourn this meeting then take a 30 second break to call for a closed session immediately to follow.
- IV. Meeting adjourned at 4:00 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

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